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In re Application of:

HIROYUKI SAITO

Application No.: 09/425,225

Filed: October 22, 1999

For: RECORDING APPARATUS

Docket No. 03500.013942

Examiner: Joseph R. Pokrzywa

Group Art Unit: 2622

Date: June 24, 2004

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 20	MINUS	** 41	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 7	MINUS	*** 7	= 0	x \$43 \$86	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0.00

- °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
 - A check in the amount of \$____ is enclosed.
 - Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- A check in the amount of \$____ to cover the fee for a ____ month extension is enclosed.
 - A check in the amount of \$____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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In response to the Office Action dated March 24, 2004, please amend the
above-identified application as follows: